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: For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR)
: EVALUATING THE NOISE)
: ASSOCIATED WITH TURBO-)
: CODES, AND SYSTEMS USING :
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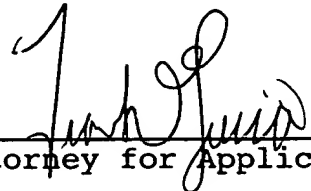
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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

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